MrMcclaughry 31 minutes ago (edited)

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Meaning of the Phrase

Calling someone a "former Scientology spook" is a pointed, conspiratorial insult rooted in anti-Scientology discourse and intelligence slang. ***It implies the person is not a genuine critic or defector from the Church of Scientology*** but rather a lingering operative—someone who infiltrated or worked within the organization (or related intelligence ops) and now poses as an ex-member to manipulate narratives, spread disinformation, or sow division.

The term "spook" is old-school jargon for a spy or covert agent (from "spook" meaning ghost, evoking shadowy figures), often tied to agencies like the CIA or FBI.

"Former" adds irony, suggesting they're still active but in hiding.

This isn't casual name-calling; ***it's a tactic to discredit whistleblowers by painting them as untrustworthy plants.***

Context in Online Harassment

In the X ecosystem, this phrase spikes in anti-cult threads, especially around figures like ***@DanaDooDah, a vocal ex-Scientologist*** and researcher on the church's alleged ties to occult groups (e.g., Process Church, Manson family links) and conservative influencers (e.g., Turning Point USA).

Her December 10, 2025, post you referenced directly calls out self-proclaimed "former" Scientologists accusing her of being a "state-sponsored impostor" faking Christianity—mirroring the "spook" label.

This echoes a pattern:

Accusatory Examples: Users label critics as "Scientology spooks" to imply CIA/MKUltra ties, e.g., linking L. Ron Hubbard (Scientology's founder) to naval intelligence.

Why It Stings:

Ex-Scientologists like Leah Remini note the church's playbook—labeling defectors "criminals, liars, bigots" to isolate them.

"Spook" amps this up with spy thriller vibes, turning infighting into a loyalty test. It's ironic: anti-Scientology voices ****mimic the church's "suppressive person" discrediting.***

Mimic of Fair Game tactics by Scientology? Imagine that.

Note the plurality of Dana's accusation, right at the jump to immediately cause cognitive dissonance - she hopes. Dana took *my* post at my husband's youtube and labeled it all as former Scientology 'SPOOKS' (see below image)

Mike McClaughry detailed his actual 'spook' background for Scientology's Guardian Office in a video testimonial almost 26 years ago now. See here: https://youtu.be/k-PRBai7P_c?si=Os7MR...

Why didn't Dana provide receipts of *my* supposed spook status for the Church of Scientology? Cuz there aren't any, cuz it never happened.

Ah, but see that's a very PARTICULAR lie she led with.

One that's been going on for years now, all done by ACTUAL Scientology spooks. Heck, one of them even lied to others about me behind my back (including to Loren Spethman before I met him) that my father had worked in Scientology's Guardian Office and Office of Special Affairs for years and that I was raised in all that. 100 percent a lie.

(That was Scott Gordon who actually is a real Scientology spook.)

Whaddya think.....Just how many paid-to-be-stupid people (a phrase from a friend of mine that doesn't necessarily refer to money) does Dana have in her little flock?

So far we have a violent psycho who thinks torching me with a blow torch cuz I'm a "spider" is a good idea - that's the uber-stupid 'devout Christian' J. Mortis, then there's a Brad Conley (also a "devout Christian"??) being about as two-faced as it gets since the time of his

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Shame on them. Shame on Dana.

But it must be said though that this *is* a very good example of Dana doing EXTREMIST content and fostering burgeoning lone wolfs, just as Dylan Gill described.

Ya didn't see her say anything she should have about either one did you? Nope.

Well, see, that's because elsewhere in her X today, she's now characterizing the murder (failed or otherwise) of our child discussion posts as making her feel like she's "going insane" reading it, with her solution *now* being to just categorize it as just "emotional manipulation. Oh no it wasn't. I was just barely getting started on those very, very real world events. I offered her an olive branch, something I tend to do and will probably do again, a new chance to do something right, something real world, Rather than do that, Dan's grasping at the more "comfortable" explanations just shows what a coward she is at facing what the real world is actually.

(not to mention some friend she is, in that twice when asked, refuses to help us expose the full horrific nature of the murder of our child)

Juxtaposed with her comment today that I was "never" her friend and just used her as our "mouthpiece"?

Just continues to show that the very old pattern she has of that the *actual* truth is something she is terrified of and that she simply will not pony up the courage to know the truth and help stand with it despite the "going insane" feeling.

Yet.

She is not incapable of it.

NO ONE is.

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So “former” Scientology spooks accuse me of being a state actor

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Candy’s base is a potpourri!

One more thing of possible interest. On December 8 2025 Candace Owens favorably reposted this thread (on her X) https://x.com/gratefuldoug/status/199.... Candace said "Bingo" about it.

Setting aside the obvious my Christian-ness is better than yours going on in and around all this by Candace herself (and others) I was intrigued by this rather succinct response (by Grateful Doug) emphasis added by me -

"That makes a lot of sense. State actors ***pretending to be devout Christians.***"

https://x.com/gratefuldoug/status/199...

This is what Dana is doing (and many others in her 'flock'). They are pretending to be devout Christians. Dana, lest we forget, has, more than once, publicly trashed "God" creations such as the Earth and the human form as basically "a mud ball floating in space" and a "meat sack".

blatantly highly critical and insulting of "God" creations. Put even more street-level, it sounds like a cranky 2-year-old in a perpetual snit because "God" won't do what they want when they want it.

It's also very Processean and Hubbardian attitudes about "God", strangely enough. 🤔

Candace Owens @RealCandaceO · Dec 8

Bingo.

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Everyone has their own theory so here's mine:

TPUSA has be hijacked by state actors under tl infiltrate the Evangelical Church and push a US agenda masquerading as "freedom-first patrio

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